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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application

Inventor(s): Parry Guilford et al.

SC/Serial No.: 10/565,068

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Title: MARKERS FOR DETECTION OF GASTRIC  
CANCER

PATENT APPLICATION

Art Unit: 1643

Examiner: Alana Harris

Customer No. 66936

REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This REPLY is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed November 12, 2008 and to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed November 23, 2009. Because this Amendment is in response to a Non-Final Office Action, the critical date for filing a REPLY is January 30, 2010. A Petition for Extension of Time for four (4) months and the required fee are included herewith. Applicants include herewith all of the substantive amendments and remarks related to the Non-Final Office Action. However, Applicants do not provide another copy of the Declaration of Parry Guilford, which was filed with the previous REPLY. If the Examiner would like another copy of the Declaration, the Applicant would provide one.

**Amendments**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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